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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Masaaki OYAMADA et al. Art Unit: 1762
Application No.: 10/820,024 Examiner: Abramowitz, H.
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METHOD FOR MAKING SAME

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 12, 2006, applicants hereby submit the enclosed papers including a Amendment under 37 CFR 1.111 and a Terminal Disclaimer to Obviate a Double Patenting Rejection over Pending Applications. Since August 12, 2006 is a Saturday and August 13, 2006 is a Sunday, applicants believe that this is a timely response within the shortened statutory period and that no extension of time fees are required.

The required fees are calculated below:

Total Claims	$\frac{30}{4}$	-	$\frac{20}{3}$	=	$\frac{10}{1}$	\$500.00
Independent				=		\$200.00
Terminal Disclaimer Fee						\$130.00
TOTAL FEE DUE:						\$830.00

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THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED TO CHARGE THIS FEE AND ANY OTHER FEES WHICH MAY BE REQUIRED OR CREDIT ANY OVERPAYMENT TO THE CREDIT CARD NUMBER LISTED ON THE ATTACHED CREDIT CARD PAYMENT FORM (PTO-2038 FORM), REFERENCING ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 0092/012001. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS PAPER IS ENCLOSED. THIS IS A GENERAL AUTHORIZATION EXCLUDING ONLY PAYMENT OF THE ISSUE FEE.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: August 14, 2006



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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

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In response to the Office Action dated May 12, 2006, please
amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 15 of this paper.

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